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City Council Selects February 7, 2017, for Special Election, Names Stombres as Interim Appointment for Mayor

FAIRFAX, Va. — The City of Fairfax City Council held a special meeting August 16 at which it directed the city attorney to file a petition for an order and writ of election to fill a vacancy in the office of the Mayor for the City of Fairfax. The City Council requested the date of February 7, 2017, for the special election.

Also at that meeting, the City Council appointed Steven C. Stombres to fill the vacancy in the office of Mayor of the City of Fairfax resulting from the resignation of former Mayor R. Scott Silverthorne. Stombres will be sworn in at 10:30 a.m. August 17 in the City Council Chamber in the City Hall Annex, 10455 Armstrong Street, Fairfax. He will serve until city voters fill the vacancy by special election and the person elected has qualified as provided by law. Stombres, a lifelong resident of Virginia, served three terms on City Council (2008-14).

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